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CHEMICAL MECHANICAL POLISHER WITH GROOVED BELT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

## PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated December 17, 2002, be extended for one month to and including April 17, 2003.

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